

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re: Ralph C. Tuttle, et al. Group Art Unit: 2812  
Serial No. 10/045,766 Confirmation No. 3061  
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For: **PATTERN FOR IMPROVED VISUAL INSPECTION  
OF SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICES**

Commissioner for Patents  
Office of Patent Publication  
Attention: Certificate of Corrections Branch  
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**FIFTH REQUEST**

**STATUS INQUIRY**

Sir:

The subject application was issued as patent 6,903,446 on June 7, 2005 including a patent term adjustment of 206 days. Pursuant to 37 CFR §1.322(b), the Assignee requested a corrected patent in lieu of and with like effect as a certificate of correction on July 22, 2005. According to Private PAIR, the following Requests for Certificate of Correction and Status of Application have been received by the Office:

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| • Request for Certificate of Correction | July 22, 2005    |
| • Request for Status of Application     | June 19, 2006    |
| • Request for Status of Application     | August 31, 2006  |
| • Request for Certificate of Correction | January 16, 2007 |

No further action by the USPTO has taken place. Accordingly, Applicant respectfully requests that the Office check the status of this Request for Corrected Patent and provide Applicant with a brief report of the status, including the approximate date by which this request will be executed.

Respectfully submitted,

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